The Honorable Michael K. Powell Chairman Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Chairman Powell:

Please be advised that I do not agree with the merger proposed by dish network and directv. This in NO way is good for the consumer in the long run. It always leads to higher prices on the bottom sooner or later. It was a horrible experiece when direct tv took over primestar and caused me to leave directv. Thank God I had a choice and could go to dish network. Do not allow this merger to accur. Thanks

Sincerely,

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